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PATENT  
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Inventor:	F. Galtier et al.	)	
		)	Group Art Unit: 3747
Serial No.:	10/535,729	)	
		)	Examiner: Castro, A.
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Title:	METHOD FOR THE DETECTION OF MISFIRES IN AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE		

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### RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

This paper is in response to the Office Communication dated as mailed 06/28/2007.

### REMARKS

Claims 9-16 are pending in this application. Claims 9-16 are rejected under 35 USC 102(b) as being anticipated by Kashimura et al. The rejections are traversed without amendment of the claims as follows beginning on the next page.